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HIGH ON LADDER.

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The train service in and out of Topeka is taken care of by the three big trunk lines of the west, the Santa Fe, Rock Island and Union Pacific, while the Missouri Pacific has a line entering the city. Then Topeka is a convenient city and offers the advantages of these gatherings as a study for pupils of her eight private educational institutions. Then there is the state historical library, the most complete by far in this section of the country, open at all times to the researches of the students. The bird collection at the state house is one of the most notable and complete in the country and the horticultural exhibit is also very fine. Topeka is a beautiful place in which to live, located in the high and healthy Kaw valley. The cost of living here is no greater than in smaller cities. The city is now paying more attention than ever before to the work of developing her educational resources and thus reaping the natural advantages possessed as a city of culture and learning. It is expected that all records in attendance at the schools and colleges of this city will be broken next winter.

Washburn College.
The growth of Washburn college has paralleled in an interesting way the growth of the state. During the years when Kansas was struggling for existence, the college was founded. As the state slowly but surely developed the college laid sure foundations and the prosperous times that came in the late nineties found an institution already rich in character and traditions and ideals. In the later years Washburn has grown rapidly. New buildings have been added year by year until the equipment of the college is worth nearly half a million dollars. The endowment will soon reach \$500,000. The increase in attendance has kept pace—over seven hundred students were enrolled in long term courses last year.

For the year 1908-9 the outlook is most hopeful. The college has called to its presidency a man of national reputation as an educator, Dr. Frank K. Sanders. The new president is a broad minded man of exceptional training and comes from his position as dean of the theological department of Yale university thoroughly awake to the best modern methods of higher education and with a far reaching plan for the same expansion and growth of this college.

The Thomas memorial gymnasium has been completed and will offer unsurpassed advantages for the physical training of the young men and women who enter in September. This handsome spacious new building fills a long felt need at the college. No better quarters for the football, baseball, track, basketball, and other teams can be found west of the Mississippi while indoor training can be continued in spite of inclement weather on the fields.

Old Rice hall, the old main building of Washburn forty years ago, has been remodeled throughout since the fire which destroyed the two upper stories. Laboratories and lecture halls have been made larger and more modern at great expense while the entire fourth floor was arched over and converted into a great museum where the many renowned collections have been attractively and beneficially housed.

Indeed no better equipped institution for the "doing well" all that

it undertakes to do" can be found in the entire country. The combination of Washburn and Topeka with all her educational facilities has become to be spoken of as an unbeatable source of culture and the scores of families moving to the city every year for the purpose of educating the children substantiate the charge.

Bethany College.

Bethany college, a school for girls, located in the heart of the city, is one of the most successful of its kind in the country. The school is a home for girls in every sense of the word and offers instruction in collegiate, high school, elementary departments, music and arts. It prepares students for higher colleges and certificates from Bethany admit to Wellesley and Smith colleges and the University of Kansas.

Great care is given to refinement and culture of the students, and the grounds offer adequate room for plenty of outdoor exercise. The buildings and surroundings are the most beautiful of any private school in the west and the moral atmosphere of Topeka makes Bethany college an ideal school for girls.

A popular department of the college is that of the kindergarten and it is growing in favor each year. This department is in charge of competent instructors and a feature is made of moral training. Children of both sexes are enrolled.

The Standard Shorthand School.
The standard school at 628-630 Kansas avenue has the distinction of having at its head a lady stenographer.

JUST AN OLD GRAD.



President Taft and President Hadley of Yale, as they headed the alumni parade to the memorial exercises at Yale's commencement.

er and teacher of exceptional ability, Anna E. Canan.

The flash light of the business world has been turned upon this institution for the past twenty-one years, and in all of these years the school has never been found napping or wanting. It has turned out hundreds of expert shorthand writers, among them many court reporters. A large number of the best stenographers in Topeka claim this institution as their alma mater.

This school has always been and is still a leader. It was the first to train its pupils by means of actual work for business men. It having originated the plan of training nearly twenty years ago. Since that time this plan of training has been copied by many other schools.

The Standard Shorthand school has the first copy of touch typewriting that was ever sent out and it was the first school in Topeka or west to teach touch typewriting. Mr. George Clark of the Topeka Milling Co., has the honor of being the pioneer touch typewriter of Topeka, he having learned the art in this institution.

The phenomenal success of this school is based upon the fact that it is devoted exclusively to shorthand and typewriting, taking up only the branches necessary to make expert stenographers, and it is not connected in any way with any business college.

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2. AN ADEQUATE EQUIPMENT. WASHBURN occupies thirteen buildings, including excellent laboratories, dormitories and a new gymnasium.
3. THOROUGH INSTRUCTION. WASHBURN faculty has been trained in the best universities of Europe and America. No student instructors are employed.
4. HELPFUL SURROUNDINGS. WASHBURN students have the opportunity of hearing the great lecturers and musicians, of seeing the best that the stage produces, of sharing in the life of a city devoted to culture.

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